



# Journal of the House

State of Indiana

122nd General Assembly

First Regular Session

Seventeenth Day

Monday Afternoon

February 22, 2021

The invocation was offered by Chaplain Matt Barnes of the Public Servant's Prayer.

The House convened at 1:30 p.m. with Speaker Todd M. Huston in the Chair.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Representative Steuerwald.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Abbott	Karickhoff
Andrade	King
Austin	Klinker
Aylesworth	Lauer
Baird	Ledbetter <input type="checkbox"/>
Barrett	Lehe
Bartels	Lehman
Bartlett	Leonard
Bauer	Lindauer
Behning	Lucas
Borders	Lyness
Boy	Manning
Brown, T.	May
Campbell	Mayfield
Carbaugh	McNamara
Cherry	Miller
Clere	Moed
Cook	Morris <input type="checkbox"/>
Davis	Morrison
Davisson	Moseley
DeVon	Negele
DeLaney	Nisly
Dvorak	Olthoff
Eberhart	Pack
Ellington	Payne
Engleman <input type="checkbox"/>	Pfaff
Errington	Pierce
Fleming	Porter
Frye	Prescott
GiaQuinta	Pressel
Goodrich	Pryor
Gore	Rowray
Gutwein	Saunders
Hamilton	Schaibley
Harris	Shackleford
Hatcher	Slager
Hatfield	Smaltz
Heaton	Smith, V.
Heine	Snow
Hostettler	Soliday
Jackson	Speedy
Jacob	Steuerwald
Jeter	Sullivan
Johnson	Summers
Jordan	Teshka
Judy	Thompson

Torr  
VanNatter  
Vermilion  
Wesco

J. Young  
Zent  
Ziemke  
Mr. Speaker

Roll Call 203: 97 present; 3 excused. The Speaker announced a quorum in attendance. [NOTE: ☐ indicates those who were excused.]

## HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that when we do adjourn, we adjourn until Tuesday, February 23, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.

LEHMAN

The motion was adopted by a constitutional majority.

## RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING

### Senate Concurrent Resolution 6

The Speaker handed down Senate Concurrent Resolution 6, sponsored by Representative McNamara:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the Indiana Department of Transportation to place a memorial sign where the 38th parallel crosses State Road 69, south of Copperline Road in Posey County, Indiana, entitled "Posey County honoring the Veterans of the Korean War, here lies the 38th Parallel".

*Whereas, Indiana's veterans display the spirit of patriotism, the love of country, and the willingness to serve and sacrifice for the common good, which has always helped to make our country and state great;*

*Whereas, The Indiana General Assembly recognizes the many sacrifices made by Indiana veterans in times of war;*

*Whereas, Many states, including Indiana, have designated and named portions of state or federal highways as memorials to those brave men and women who served their country so well in perilous times;*

*Whereas, The Korean War began on June 25, 1950, when President Harry S. Truman committed the United States military to a United Nations effort to stop North Korea's annexation of South Korea;*

*Whereas, Between June 25, 1950, and July 27, 1953, approximately 5,720,000 Americans served in the military, many of whom were stationed in Korea;*

*Whereas, The Korean War cost our nation dearly, taking more than 33,000 lives;*

*Whereas, The military personnel involved in this war sacrificed greatly for their country but received little thanks;*

*Whereas, Posey County, Indiana, shares a unique latitudinal line, the 38th parallel, with the historical boundary between North and South Korea;*

*Whereas, The people of Posey County and the State of Indiana wish to honor the Korean War veterans by erecting a*

*memorial sign where the 38th parallel crosses State Road 69, which is just south of Copperline Road; and*

*Whereas, It is fitting and proper that these brave Americans receive the recognition that they so justly deserve: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the Senate  
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,  
the House of Representatives concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly recognizes the service of Indiana veterans to our state and our nation during the Korean War.

SECTION 2. That the Indiana General Assembly urges the Indiana Department of Transportation to place a memorial sign where the 38th parallel crosses State Road 69, south of Copperline Road in Posey County, Indiana,

entitled "Posey County honoring the Veterans of the Korean War, here lies the 38th Parallel" in their honor.

SECTION 3. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to the Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Transportation.

The resolution was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads and Transportation.

#### **Senate Concurrent Resolution 7**

The Speaker handed down Senate Concurrent Resolution 7, sponsored by Representatives Heine, Carbaugh, Judy and Morris:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the Indiana Department of Transportation to rename the section of State Road 930 in Allen County from Parnell Avenue to Crescent Avenue as the "Veterans National Memorial Mile".

*Whereas, The Indiana Department of Transportation has jurisdiction over highways in the state system, including those located in municipalities;*

*Whereas, Many Allen County residents are veterans and have served in American military operations as far back as World War II;*

*Whereas, The Indiana General Assembly recognizes the great sacrifices made by Hoosier veterans in the service of their state in times of war;*

*Whereas, These veterans served their state and country with honor, and many made the ultimate sacrifice in service of their country;*

*Whereas, Because America has relied upon her veterans in times of war to protect our way of life, it seems only just and proper that America honors the veterans of all her wars; and*

*Whereas, Many states, including Indiana, have designated and named portions of a state or federal highway as a memorial to those who served our nation in times of war: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the Senate  
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,  
the House of Representatives concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly urges the Indiana Department of Transportation to provide the necessary signage to rename the section of State Road 930 in Allen County from Parnell Avenue to Crescent Avenue as the "Veterans National Memorial Mile".

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to the Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Transportation. 0

The resolution was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads and Transportation.

#### **Senate Concurrent Resolution 8**

The Speaker handed down Senate Concurrent Resolution 8, sponsored by Representatives VanNatter and Manning:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the Indiana Department of Transportation to rename a section of State Road 218 from County Road 500 E in Cass County to US 31 in Miami County as the "The Honorable Richard A. Maughmer Highway".

*Whereas, Judge Richard Maughmer was born on December 2, 1953, in Cass County, Indiana, to Ned and Janice Maughmer;*

*Whereas, On September 16, 2019, Judge Maughmer passed away at the age of 65;*

*Whereas, Judge Maughmer graduated from Lewis Cass High School in 1972, and shortly thereafter joined the United States Air Force;*

*Whereas, Judge Maughmer continued to serve in the United States Air Force for 37 years in both active duty and in reserve capacity, and he retired with the rank of colonel in 2009;*

*Whereas, Alongside his military service, Judge Maughmer began working in the Cass County Prosecutor's Office in 1983, and in 1986, Governor Robert Orr appointed him as Cass County Prosecutor;*

*Whereas, Judge Maughmer joined the bench in 2001, where he went on to serve the people of Cass County for almost two decades;*

*Whereas, Judge Maughmer was active in developing the legal community and advancing the profession through his service as the Chair of the Judicial Administration Committee, as member on the Board of Directors of the Judicial Conference of Indiana, and as a member of the Indiana Judges Association and the Indiana Judges Association Civil Instructions Committee; and*

*Whereas, It is appropriate that the portion of State Road 218 from County Road 500 E in Cass County to US 31 in Miami County commemorate Judge Richard Maughmer and his many contributions to the State of Indiana and the United States of America: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the Senate  
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,  
the House of Representatives concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly urges the Indiana Department of Transportation to rename the section of State Road 218 from County Road 500 E in Cass County to US 31 in Miami County as the "The Honorable Richard A. Maughmer Highway".

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to the Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Transportation.

The resolution was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Roads and Transportation.

#### **House Resolution 11**

Representatives Fleming, Ziemke, Abbott, Andrade, Austin, Bartlett, Bauer, Boy, Campbell, Clere, Davisson, DeLaney, Errington, Hamilton, Harris, Hatcher, Jackson, Klinker, Ledbetter, Manning, Moed, Moseley, Pfaff, Pierce, Porter, Pryor, Schaibley, Shackelford and V. Smith introduced House Resolution 11:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION urging health insurers to donate some of their increased net earnings to state and local health departments to support coronavirus disease (COVID-19) vaccination programs.

*Whereas, A decrease in elective health care during the current pandemic has resulted in sharply increased net earnings for health insurers, as exemplified by the net income of UnitedHealth Group increasing from \$3.4 billion for the second quarter of 2019 to \$6.7 billion for the second quarter of 2020 and the net income of Anthem Inc. increasing from \$1.1 billion for the second quarter of 2019 to \$2.3 billion for the second quarter of 2020;*

*Whereas, America's Health Insurance Plans (AHIP), the national organization of health insurers, states that its member companies "are activating emergency plans to ensure that Americans have access to the prevention, testing, and treatment needed to handle the current situation" and AHIP's Internet web site touts many voluntary actions taken by health insurers to address the pandemic, including many financial contributions;*

*Whereas, According to a December 14, 2020, article in the Wall Street Journal, state officials say that the states are billions of dollars short in the funding they will need to provide COVID-19 vaccinations to everyone who will want to be vaccinated;*

*Whereas, Although the federal government is providing the vaccine, syringes, and needles, state and local health departments face huge expenses in storing and properly refrigerating the vaccine, hiring qualified medical workers to administer the vaccine, providing personal protective equipment for those administering and those receiving the vaccine, and providing public information about vaccination programs;*

*Whereas, The launch of state and local vaccination programs is coming at a time when state and local government finances are strained because of the economic downturn caused by the pandemic;*

*Whereas, Supporting vaccination programs will ultimately benefit health insurance companies, as insured individuals who have been vaccinated can be expected to need less health care in the future than if they had not been vaccinated;*

*Whereas, The particular needs of local health departments will vary significantly, but all local health departments will greatly need funding for their vaccination programs; and*

*Whereas, The nation's health insurance companies are uniquely positioned to provide the financial support that is badly needed for state and local vaccination programs: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That health insurance companies doing business in Indiana are strongly urged to use some of the increased net earnings resulting from the decrease in elective health care during the current pandemic to establish programs under which grants will be made available to the state department of health and local health departments to fund programs for the vaccination of Hoosiers against the COVID-19 virus.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House transmit this resolution to the insurance commissioner of Indiana, and that the insurance commissioner is urged to distribute this resolution to the chief executive officers of all health insurance companies doing business in Indiana.

The resolution was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

## House Resolution 12

Representatives Huston, Behning, Borders, Cherry, Davisson, Goodrich, Jackson, Johnson, Jordan, Lehe, Lucas, May, Moed, Morris, Prescott, Rowray, Saunders, Snow, Soliday, Sullivan and Thompson introduced House Resolution 12:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring the 2021 NBA Rising Star Award recipients.

*Whereas, The National Basketball Association (NBA) All-Star Game was supposed to be held in Indianapolis in 2021;*

*Whereas, Due to the pandemic, the All-Star Game had to be rescheduled in Indianapolis to 2024;*

*Whereas, The NBA All-Star 2021 Legacy Committee, led by Co-Chairs Tamika Catchings and Rafael Sanchez, launched the All-Star Legacy Grants in 2019;*

*Whereas, The All-Star Legacy Grants focus on youth-serving nonprofit organizations across Indiana. The initiative provided 21 grants of up to \$50,000 for brick-and-mortar projects focused on health and wellness or education, with an estimated impact on 90,000 youth statewide;*

*Whereas, The NBA All-Star 2021 Host Committee has awarded 21 organizations with an All-Star Legacy Grant, the \$1 million initiative focused on youth-serving nonprofit organizations across Indiana;*

*Whereas, In connection with the NBA All-Star Game 2021 that was scheduled to be held in Indianapolis, the initiative provided grants of up to \$50,000 for each of the selected 21 brick-and-mortar projects focused on health and wellness or education;*

*Whereas, The grantees represent 18 counties throughout the state and were chosen from 182 applicants;*

*Whereas, The Indianapolis NBA All-Star 2021 Legacy Committee also selected 21 high school aged Hoosiers as Rising Stars;*

*Whereas, The Rising Stars are each awarded a \$2,100 scholarship payable to the college, university, or postsecondary institution they attend after high school graduation;*

*Whereas, In order to be selected as a Rising Star, each class member demonstrated leadership in their schools and communities and exemplified strong ideals, a drive to excel, and commitment to serving others;*

*Whereas, The impact that this program and these Hoosier students will have on our communities across the state will last well beyond the NBA All-Star Game 2021. Our state is incredibly lucky to have these young leaders, and we recognize them for their dedication and service to Indiana; and*

*Whereas, The Rising Stars class of 2021 includes: Meg Kirk, Danville Community High School, A Kid Again; Macy Huber, Greenfield Central High School, Agape Therapeutic Riding Resources; Emma Landstrom, Bedford North Lawrence High School, Boys & Girls Club of Lawrence County; Lindsey Weldon, Plymouth High School, Boys & Girls Clubs of Marshall County; Chayse Hunter, Noblesville High School, Boys & Girls Clubs of Noblesville; Jamarion Evans, Oliver P. Morton High School, Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Northwest Indiana; Sophie Boyll, Terre Haute South Vigo High School, Chances and Services for Youth; Elijah Linden, Decatur Central High School, Concord Neighborhood Center; Ashlyn Johnson, Evansville North High School, Dream Center of Evansville; Kayla Harris, Chesterton High School, Duneland Family YMCA; Raul Antonio Ruiz, Jennings County High School, Friends of Historic Vernon; Izac Stewart, Decatur Central High School, Hawthorne Community Center; Felipe Gonzalez, Arsenal Technical High School, Indy Public Safety Foundation; Dorothy Pettet, Danville Community High School, Jameson Camp; Sophia Fugiett, Jay County High School, Jay County Boys & Girls Club; Sam Thomas, Knightstown High School, Knightstown Kids Inc.; Megan Kelly, Delphi Community High School, L & A Park Foundation; Rylan Mason, Anderson High School, Project H.O.P.E.; Zaire Hayes,*

*Snider High School, Turnstone Center for Children and Adults with Disabilities; Khloe Mull, Salem High School, Washington County Family YMCA; Alexander Farr, Southwood Junior-Senior High School, White's Residential & Family Services: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to Indiana House Speaker Todd Huston's office for distribution.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

### House Resolution 13

Representative Gore introduced House Resolution 13:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION congratulating the Beech Grove Comprehensive Drug-Free Coalition.

*Whereas, The Beech Grove Comprehensive Drug-Free Coalition (CDFC) was established as an all-volunteer nonprofit organization in 2017;*

*Whereas, The CDFC works tirelessly to establish and strengthen community collaboration in support of local efforts to prevent youth substance misuse through strategies that reduce bullying, violence, and ease of youth access to alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs;*

*Whereas, The CDFC has expanded across 35 community partners in Beech Grove and Marion County since 2017;*

*Whereas, The CDFC will receive \$125,000 annually over the course of five years, totaling \$625,000 in federal funding for its BG Youth Prevention initiative;*

*Whereas, The new funding will be used in a comprehensive seven-point strategy to reduce youth substance misuse in the community, including: education initiatives for youth, parents, and guardians; mental health and addiction services, including support groups; and policy and enforcement initiatives shared by local government, businesses, and the community; and*

*Whereas, The CDFC has been recognized and supported at the national level to further their mission in support of youth and their families across Indiana: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives recognizes the Beech Grove Comprehensive Drug-Free Coalition (CDFC) for its contributions to the community.

SECTION 2. That the Indiana House of Representatives congratulates the CDFC for receiving federal funding to further support programs to address youth substance misuse in Indiana.

SECTION 3. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to the office of State Representative Mitch Gore for distribution.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

### House Resolution 14

Representative May introduced House Resolution 14:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION recognizing the Indiana Legislative Youth Advisory Council for the important work it does in advising the Indiana General Assembly on youth related issues.

*Whereas, In 2008, the Indiana General Assembly enacted Public Law 69 establishing the Indiana Legislative Youth Advisory Council;*

*Whereas, The Council consists of Hoosiers from across Indiana appointed by the Governor, the Speaker of the Indiana House of Representatives, President Pro Tempore of the Indiana Senate, and the Minority Leaders in the House of Representatives and in the Senate. Each Council member serves a two-year term;*

*Whereas, The Council convenes to advise the Indiana General Assembly on topics related to Indiana's youth through suggestion, endorsement, and advocacy;*

*Whereas, The actions and involvement of members of the Council demonstrate the importance of individuals from different backgrounds, political ideologies, and areas of expertise engaging in policy discussions about government;*

*Whereas, Advised by the Indiana Bar Foundation, the Council members' involvement provides a firsthand lesson in civic engagement that cannot be matched; and*

*Whereas, Through the dedication and service of the Indiana Legislative Youth Advisory Council, the interests of Indiana's youth will continue to be represented: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives recognizes the Indiana Legislative Youth Advisory Council for the important work it does in advising the Indiana General Assembly on youth related issues.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to Council members Tanner Bowman, Wyatt Harvey, Elijah Roberson, Emily Mertz, Aldo Medina, Kelby Stallings, Abby Thomas, Madeline Erdell, Eilidh MacLeod, Ranvir Sandhu, Nathaniel Alexander, Chris Elmore, Carter May, Hayden Redelman, Kyle Feldkamp, Matthew Quintos, Ariel Dodds, Cole Ferguson, Megan Stoner, and Matthew Stachler.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

### House Concurrent Resolution 17

Representative Lehe introduced House Concurrent Resolution 17:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION recognizing FFA and all of its work to advance the quality of agricultural education both locally and nationally.

*Whereas, The FFA national organization, established in 1928, and Indiana FFA, established in 1929, have prepared future generations for the challenges of feeding a growing population;*

*Whereas, The National FFA encompasses the 50 states and two U.S. territories and continues to grow, with more than 750,000 members and 8,739 local chapters, while the Indiana FFA membership has grown to more than 12,500 members in 212 chapters;*

*Whereas, The FFA motto of "Learning to Do, Doing to Learn, Earning to Live, Living to Serve" has been upheld and applied by the organization by focusing on the individual student and providing a path to achievement in premier leadership, personal growth, and career success through agricultural education;*

*Whereas, The organization's directive is to develop agricultural leaders, increase awareness of the importance of agriculture, strengthen the confidence of students involved, promote the choice of agriculture as a career, encourage agricultural experience programs, highlight wise management of community resources, develop members' interpersonal skills*

*and character, promote cooperation and healthy lifestyles, and encourage excellence in scholarship; and*

*Whereas, FFA Week started in 1947 as an opportunity for members, alumni, and sponsors to celebrate and advocate for agricultural education, and will be celebrated this year February 20-27: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives  
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,  
the Senate concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly recognizes FFA as an integral part of agricultural education both locally and nationally.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to Indiana FFA state officers Julia Hamblen, president; Kylie Schakel, secretary; Blayne Vandever, Northern Region vice president; Loren Matlock, Southern Region vice president; Evan Coblenz, treasurer; Derick Williams, reporter; Luc Sproles, sentinel.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Leising.

[*Journal Clerk's Note:* The Speaker requested a moment of silence for the death of Lt. Eugene Lascco, with the Indiana State Prison in Michigan City.]

## ENGROSSED HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING

### Engrossed House Bill 1558

Representative Steuerwald called down Engrossed House Bill 1558 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 204: yeas 96, nays 1. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators M. Young, K. Walker, Baldwin and Taylor.

### Engrossed House Bill 1541

Representative Manning called down Engrossed House Bill 1541 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning property.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 205: yeas 96, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsor: Senator Buck.

### Engrossed House Bill 1531

Representative DeVon called down Engrossed House Bill 1531 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning family law and juvenile law.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 206: yeas 80, nays 15. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the

act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsor: Senator Houchin.

### Engrossed House Bill 1527

Representative Goodrich called down Engrossed House Bill 1527 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 207: yeas 63, nays 34. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Doriot and Boots.

### Engrossed House Bill 1515

Representative Judy called down Engrossed House Bill 1515 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning public safety.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 208: yeas 95, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Jon Ford, Baldwin and Tallian.

### Engrossed House Bill 1468

Representative Davisson called down Engrossed House Bill 1468 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 209: yeas 95, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Crider, Charbonneau, Becker and Grooms.

Representative Negele, who had been present, is now excused.

### Engrossed House Bill 1454

Representative Baird called down Engrossed House Bill 1454 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 210: yeas 93, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Charbonneau and Zay.

### Engrossed House Bill 1449

Representative Soliday called down Engrossed House Bill 1449 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning utilities.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

#### HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to House Rule 47, I request to be excused from voting on the question of House Bill 1449. Pursuant to House Rule 46, the reason for the request is the following:

I have a conflict of interest in the matter before the House which could reasonably be expected to have an effect on the income of my fiber optics business.

FRYE

Motion prevailed.

Roll Call 211: yeas 92, nays 2. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Koch, Messmer and Zay.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1448

Representative Torr called down Engrossed House Bill 1448 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning family law and juvenile law.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 212: yeas 96, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Brown, Koch, Busch and Randolph.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1577

Representative Mayfield called down Engrossed House Bill 1577 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 213: yeas 67, nays 29. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Brown, Houchin and Rogers.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1421

Representative Schaibley called down Engrossed House Bill 1421 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 214: yeas 90, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Brown, Charbonneau and Zay.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1395

Representative Eberhart called down Engrossed House Bill 1395 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

#### HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to House Rule 46, I request to be excused from voting on the question of House Bill 1395. Pursuant to House Rule 168, I cannot be fully objective when considering the proposition. I currently have a legal action related to the subject matter of the bill.

#### STEUERWALD

Motion prevailed.

Roll Call 215: yeas 92, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsor: Senator Glick.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1383

Representative Cook called down Engrossed House Bill 1383 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning courts and court officers.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 216: yeas 93, nays 1. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators M. Young, Koch, Sandlin and Garten.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1369

Representative Smaltz called down Engrossed House Bill 1369 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 217: yeas 65, nays 31. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Houchin, Messmer, Koch, Freeman and Garten.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1357

Representative Wesco called down Engrossed House Bill 1357 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning elections.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 218: yeas 67, nays 27. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Jon Ford and G. Walker.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1337

Representative Hostettler called down Engrossed House Bill 1337 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 219: yeas 60, nays 34. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The

Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsor: Senator Tomes.

Representative Ziemke, who had been present, is now excused.

### **Engrossed House Bill 1328**

Representative Ellington called down Engrossed House Bill 1328 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 220: yeas 44, nays 47. The bill failed for lack of a constitutional majority.

### **Engrossed House Bill 1283**

Representative Harris called down Engrossed House Bill 1283 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

### **HOUSE MOTION**

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to House Rule 46, I request to be excused from voting on the question of House Bill 1283. Pursuant to House Rule 168, the reason for the request is the following:

I have a duty to conduct my official duties in a manner that avoids the appearance of impropriety. I am an owner/operator of an independent farm, and this matter could be construed to impact my personal financial interests.

### **MOED**

Motion prevailed.

Roll Call 221: yeas 92, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Messmer and Taylor.

### **Engrossed House Bill 1270**

Representative Fyre called down Engrossed House Bill 1270 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning public safety.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 222: yeas 90, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsor: Senator Crider.

Representative Hatfield, who had been present, is now excused.

Representative Ziemke, who had been excused, is now present.

### **Engrossed House Bill 1266**

Representative Clere called down Engrossed House Bill 1266 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 223: yeas 87, nays 1. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Donato, Raatz, K. Walker and Melton.

Representative Dvorak, who had been present, is now excused.

### **Engrossed House Bill 1200**

Representative McNamara called down Engrossed House Bill 1200 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 224: yeas 93, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Crider and Donato.

Representative Dvorak, who had been excused, is now present.

Representatives Leonard and Prescott, who had been present, are now excused.

### **Engrossed House Bill 1190**

Representative Pressel called down Engrossed House Bill 1190 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 225: yeas 57, nays 35. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsor: Senator Jon Ford.

Representatives Leonard and Prescott, who had been excused, are now present.

Representatives Moseley and Sullivan, who had been present, are now excused.

### **Engrossed House Bill 1177**

Representative Porter called down Engrossed House Bill 1177 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 226: yeas 91, nays 1. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Becker, Breaux, Jon Ford and Melton.

Representatives Moseley and Sullivan, who had been excused, are now present.

### **Engrossed House Bill 1164**

Representative Manning called down Engrossed House Bill 1164 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning utilities.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

#### HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to House Rule 47, I request to be excused from voting on the question of House Bill 1164. Pursuant to House Rule 46, the reason for the request is the following:

I have a conflict of interest in the matter before the House which could reasonably be expected to have a unique, direct and substantial effect on the income to my company dealing in fiber optic cable.

FRYE

Motion prevailed.

Roll Call 227: yeas 54, nays 39. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Messmer, Koch, Houchin and Donato.

Representatives Errington and Fleming, who had been present, are now excused.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1127

Representative Steuerwald called down Engrossed House Bill 1127 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 228: yeas 92, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators M. Young, Koch, Crider and Tallian.

Representative Errington, who had been excused, is now present.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1115

Representative Miller called down Engrossed House Bill 1115 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 229: yeas 93, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsor: Senator Rogers.

Representatives Fleming, who had been excused, is now present.

Representative VanNatter, who had been present, is now excused.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1097

Representative Abbott called down Engrossed House Bill 1097 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 230: yeas 76, nays 17. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Glick, Koch and Sandlin.

Representative VanNatter, who had been excused, is now present.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1095

Representative Moed called down Engrossed House Bill 1095 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 231: yeas 92, nays 2. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Messmer, Taylor and K. Walker.

Representative Pressel, who had been present, is now excused.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1055

Representative Aylesworth called down Engrossed House Bill 1055 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning natural resources.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 232: yeas 90, nays 3. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Niemeyer and Charbonneau.

Representative Pressel, who had been excused, is now present.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1028

Representative Lucas called down Engrossed House Bill 1028 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 233: yeas 79, nays 15. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsor: Senator M. Young.

Representative Boy, who had been present, is now excused.

#### Engrossed House Bill 1009

Representative Goodrich called down Engrossed House Bill 1009 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 234: yeas 93, nays 1. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the

act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Jon Ford and Crane.

Representative Boy, who had been excused, is now present.

### **Engrossed House Bill 1001**

Representative T. Brown called down Engrossed House Bill 1001 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration and to make an appropriation.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 235: yeas 65, nays 30. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsor: Senator Mishler.

### **OTHER BUSINESS ON THE SPEAKER'S TABLE**

#### **HOUSE MOTION**

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Lindauer be added as coauthor of House Bill 1028.

LUCAS

Motion prevailed.

#### **HOUSE MOTION**

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Steuerwald be removed as coauthor of House Bill 1200.

MCNAMARA

Motion prevailed.

#### **HOUSE MOTION**

Mr. Speaker: I move that House Rule 105.1 be suspended for the purpose of adding more than three coauthors and that Representative Bartlett be added as coauthor of House Bill 1200.

MCNAMARA

The motion, having been seconded by a constitutional majority and carried by a two-thirds vote of the members, prevailed.

#### **HOUSE MOTION**

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Davis and Pfaff be added as coauthors of House Bill 1266.

CLERE

Motion prevailed.

#### **HOUSE MOTION**

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Carbaugh and Hostettler be added as coauthors of House Bill 1527.

GOODRICH

Motion prevailed.

#### **HOUSE MOTION**

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Jackson be added as coauthor of House Bill 1531.

DEVON

Motion prevailed.

#### **HOUSE MOTION**

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives McNamara and Bartlett be added as coauthors of House Bill 1558.

STEUERWALD

Motion prevailed.

On the motion of Representative Pryor, the House adjourned at 6:54 p.m., this twenty-second day of February, 2021, until Tuesday, February 23, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.

TODD M. HUSTON

Speaker of the House of Representatives

M. CAROLINE SPOTTS

Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives